

by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. LOFGREN:

H.R. 4823. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit foreign media representatives to gain admission as visitors coming temporarily to the United States for business; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CASE, Mr. OWENS, Ms. LEE, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Mr. GONZALEZ):

H.R. 4824. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to issue regulations concerning the shipping of extremely hazardous materials; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. OWENS:

H.R. 4825. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose an additional tax on taxable income attributable to contracts with the United States for goods and services for the war in Iraq; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SHAW (for himself, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, and Mr. TANNER):

H.R. 4826. A bill to assist in the conservation of rare felids and rare canids by supporting and providing financial resources for the conservation programs of nations within the range of rare felid and rare canid populations and projects of persons with demonstrated expertise in the conservation of rare felid and rare canid populations; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. WALDEN of Oregon (for himself and Mr. POMBO):

H.R. 4827. A bill to amend the Colorado Canyons National Conservation Area and Black Ridge Canyons Wilderness Act of 2000 to rename the Colorado Canyons National Conservation Area as the McInnis Canyons National Conservation Area; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. WATSON (for herself and Mr. BURTON of Indiana):

H.R. 4828. A bill to direct the Consumer Product Safety Commission to issue a rule banning children's toys containing mercury; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PENCE (for himself, Ms. BERKLEY, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN):

H. Res. 713. A resolution deploring the misuse of the International Court of Justice by a majority of the United Nations General Assembly for a narrow political purpose, the willingness of the International Court of Justice to acquiesce in an effort likely to undermine its reputation and interfere with a resolution of the Palestinian-Israeli conflict, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. HOLT, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. OWENS, Mr. FROST, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. FARR, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. WU, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. MALONEY, and Mr. RYAN of Ohio):

H. Res. 714. A resolution honoring Sandra Feldman on the occasion of her retirement from the presidency of the American Federation of Teachers for her tireless efforts to improve the quality of teaching and learning; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

385. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 04-1006 supporting the efforts of The Stand in the Gap Project, Inc; to the Committee on Armed Services.

386. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 04-1064 memorializing the President and Congress of the United States to take action to ensure that federal programs providing financial assistance for the educational needs of children of migrant workers include children of migrant workers in all sectors of our economy; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

387. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 04-1085 memorializing the Congress of the United States to improve the rules to implement privacy of health information under the federal "Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

388. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to House Concurrent Memorial 2011 memorializing the Congress of the United States to authorize a land trade within accident potential zones of Luke Air Force Base and outside the boundaries of Yuma Army Proving Ground; to the Committee on Resources.

389. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Arizona, relative to Senate Concurrent Memorial 1003 memorializing the Congress of the United States propose to the people an amendment to the Constitution of the United States that provides certain rights to crime victims; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

390. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 04-1022 memorializing the United States Congress to pass the "English Language Unity Act of 2003" (H.R. 997), which would establish English as the official language of the United States; jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and the Judiciary.

391. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware, relative to House Substitute No. 1 for House Concurrent Resolution No. 46 memorializing the President and Congress of the United States to strengthen trade relations with Taiwan by a Free Trade Agreement and to support the participation of Taiwan in the United Nations and the World Health Organization; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and International Relations.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 58: Mr. GERLACH.  
H.R. 784: Mr. TERRY.  
H.R. 918: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. HYDE, Mr. MOORE, Mr. ISSA, and Mr. WAXMAN.  
H.R. 1043: Mr. BOSWELL and Mr. BURR.  
H.R. 1057: Mr. SHAW and Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin.  
H.R. 1242: Mr. MILLER of North Carolina.  
H.R. 2241: Mr. MCDERMOTT.  
H.R. 2377: Mr. MILLER of North Carolina.  
H.R. 2387: Ms. WATSON.  
H.R. 2442: Mr. NEY, Mr. ENGLISH, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.  
H.R. 2681: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.

H.R. 2747: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.  
H.R. 2790: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.  
H.R. 2868: Mr. MARSHALL.  
H.R. 2929: Mr. BRADLEY of New Hampshire.  
H.R. 3066: Mr. CAMP.  
H.R. 3085: Ms. BORDALLO.  
H.R. 3090: Mr. HINCHEY.  
H.R. 3178: Mr. MCHUGH.  
H.R. 3313: Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, and Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia.  
H.R. 3474: Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma.  
H.R. 3480: Ms. WATERS.  
H.R. 3634: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.  
H.R. 3662: Mr. FILNER.  
H.R. 3756: Ms. ESHOO, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.  
H.R. 3780: Ms. BORDALLO.  
H.R. 3799: Mr. GOODE and Mr. BROWN of South Carolina.  
H.R. 3847: Mr. MEEK of Florida.  
H.R. 3953: Mr. CALVERT.  
H.R. 3965: Mr. GORDON.  
H.R. 4026: Mr. GONZALEZ.  
H.R. 4036: Mr. RANGEL.  
H.R. 4057: Mr. SCOTT of Georgia and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.  
H.R. 4110: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia and Mr. SAXTON.  
H.R. 4116: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LINDER, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. NUNES, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. GRAVES, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. BUYER, Mr. HAYES, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. REHBERG, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. KOLBE.  
H.R. 4126: Mrs. MUSGRAVE.  
H.R. 4209: Mr. BEAUPREZ.  
H.R. 4354: Mr. GREEN of Texas.  
H.R. 4356: Ms. ESHOO.  
H.R. 4361: Mr. PALLONE, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. GONZALEZ.  
H.R. 4391: Mr. FOLEY and Mr. CALVERT.  
H.R. 4400: Ms. MCCOLLUM and Mr. PALLONE.  
H.R. 4423: Mr. OBERSTAR.  
H.R. 4430: Mr. KNOLLENBERG and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.  
H.R. 4431: Mr. GORDON.  
H.R. 4445: Mr. OWENS, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. WATERS, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. MEEKS of New York.  
H.R. 4476: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. LEE, and Mr. HOEFFEL.  
H.R. 4530: Mr. WICKER.  
H.R. 4555: Mr. FILNER and Mrs. CAPPS.  
H.R. 4605: Mr. SMITH of Washington.  
H.R. 4621: Mr. RAHALL.  
H.R. 4627: Mr. PORTER.  
H.R. 4628: Mr. JOHN, Mr. SCHIFF, and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.  
H.R. 4694: Mr. MCDERMOTT.  
H.R. 4706: Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. FILNER.  
H.R. 4712: Mr. OTTER, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. WICKER, Mr. MILLER of Florida, and Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.  
H.R. 4758: Mr. FROST.  
H.R. 4769: Ms. WATSON, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. HOEFFEL.  
H.R. 4772: Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. COOPER, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. WEINER, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. GREEN of Texas, and Ms. BORDALLO.  
H.R. 4797: Mr. CLAY.  
H.R. 4806: Mr. PEARCE.  
H. Con. Res. 218: Mr. KUCINICH.  
H. Con. Res. 298: Mr. OXLEY.  
H. Con. Res. 369: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.  
H. Con. Res. 371: Mr. MCHUGH.  
H. Con. Res. 390: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas and Mr. CRANE.  
H. Con. Res. 431: Mr. TERRY.  
H. Con. Res. 435: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mr. KILDEE.  
H. Con. Res. 467: Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN,

Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. PITTS, Mr. BELL, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, and Mr. CARDOZA.

H. Con. Res. 469: Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. FROST, and Mr. ISRAEL.

H. Res. 705: Mr. HOUGHTON and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.

## DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 3575: Mr. SNYDER and Mr. ROSS.

H.R. 4634: Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H. J. Res. 37: Mr. HILL.

H. J. Res. 66: Mr. HILL.

## PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

92. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the California State Lands Commission, relative to a Resolution petitioning the President, the Department of Energy, and the Congress of the United States to focus on renewable energy development and continue the moratorium on oil and gas leasing off of California; which was referred to the Committee on Resources.

## AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 4766

OFFERED BY MR. TANCREDO

AMENDMENT NO. 15: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following new section:

SEC. \_\_\_\_ None of the funds made available in this Act under the Heading "Food Stamp Program" may be expended in contravention of 8 U.S.C. 1183a.

H.R. 4766

OFFERED BY: MR. FLAKE

AMENDMENT NO. 16: Add at the end (before the short title) the following:

SEC. 7 \_\_\_\_ None of the funds made available by this Act may be used to pay the salaries and expenses of employees of the Department of Agriculture who make payments from any appropriated funds to tobacco quota holders or producers of quota tobacco pursuant to any law enacted after July 1, 2004, terminating tobacco marketing quotas under part I of subtitle B of title III of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 and related price support under sections 106, 106A, and 106B of the Agricultural Act of 1949.

H.R. 4766

OFFERED BY: MR. BACA

AMENDMENT NO. 17: In title I, under the heading "OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR CIVIL RIGHTS", insert after the dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$250,000)".

In title I, under the headings "COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXTENSION SERVICE-RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES", insert after the first dollar amount, and after the dollar amount relating to Hispanic-serving Institutions, the following: "(increased by \$1,500,000)".

In title I, under the headings "COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXTENSION SERVICE-EXTENSION ACTIVITIES", in-

sert after the first dollar amount, and after the dollar amount relating to Indian reservation agents, the following: "(increased by \$1,000,000)".

In title I, under the headings "COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXTENSION SERVICE-OUTREACH FOR SOCIALLY DISADVANTAGED FARMERS", insert after the dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$750,000)".

In title III, under the heading "RURAL DEVELOPMENT—SALARIES AND EXPENSES", insert after the dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$3,500,000)".

H.R. 4766

OFFERED BY: MR. WEINER

AMENDMENT NO. 18: Page 5, line 15, insert "(decreased by \$19,667,000)" after the dollar amount.

Page 18, line 9, insert "(increased by \$19,667,000)" after the 1st dollar amount.

H.R. 4818

OFFERED BY: MR. DEAL OF GEORGIA

AMENDMENT NO. 1: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following: GOVERNMENTS THAT DO NOT PERMIT CERTAIN EXTRADITIONS

SEC. 576. None of the funds made available in this Act may be used to provide assistance to the government of any country that does not permit the extradition to the United States, for trial or sentencing in the United States, of individuals suspected of committing criminal offenses for which the maximum penalty is life imprisonment without the possibility of parole, or a lesser term of imprisonment.

H.R. 4818

OFFERED BY: MR. DEAL OF GEORGIA

AMENDMENT NO. 2: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following: GOVERNMENTS THAT DO NOT PERMIT CERTAIN EXTRADITIONS

SEC. 576. None of the funds made available in this Act may be used to provide assistance to the government of any country with which the United States has an extradition treaty and which does not permit the extradition to the United States, for trial or sentencing in the United States, of individuals suspected of committing criminal offenses for which the maximum penalty is life imprisonment without the possibility of parole, or a lesser term of imprisonment.

H.R. 4818

OFFERED BY: MR. EMANUEL

AMENDMENT NO. 3: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following: DESIGNATION OF REPUBLIC OF POLAND AS A PROGRAM COUNTRY UNDER THE VISA WAIVER PROGRAM

SEC. \_\_\_\_ Congress—

(1) recognizes the importance of designating the Republic of Poland as a program country for purposes of the visa waiver program established under section 217 of the Immigration and Nationality Act; and

(2) urges the Secretary of Homeland Security and the Secretary of State to assist Poland in reducing its nonimmigrant visa refusal rate so that Poland may qualify for such designation.

H.R. 4818

OFFERED BY: MR. EMANUEL

AMENDMENT NO. 4: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

PROHIBITION OF PROFITEERING

SEC. \_\_\_\_ (a) PROHIBITION.—(1) Chapter 47 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

"§ 1038. War profiteering and fraud relating to military action, relief, and reconstruction efforts in Iraq

"(a) PROHIBITION.—

"(1) IN GENERAL.—Whoever, in any matter involving a contract or the provision of goods or services, directly or indirectly, in connection with the war, military action, or relief or reconstruction activities in Iraq, knowingly and willfully—

"(A) executes or attempts to execute a scheme or artifice to defraud the United States or Iraq;

"(B) falsifies, conceals, or covers up by any trick, scheme, or device a material fact;

"(C) makes any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or representations, or makes or uses any materially false writing or document knowing the same to contain any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or entry; or

"(D) materially overvalues any good or service with the specific intent to excessively profit from the war, military action, or relief or reconstruction activities in Iraq; shall be fined under paragraph (2), imprisoned not more than 20 years, or both.

"(2) FINE.—A person convicted of an offense under paragraph (1) may be fined the greater of—

"(A) \$1,000,000; or

"(B) if such person derives profits or other proceeds from the offense, not more than twice the gross profits or other proceeds.

"(b) EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTION.—There is extraterritorial Federal jurisdiction over an offense under this section.

"(c) VENUE.—A prosecution for an offense under this section may be brought—

"(1) as authorized by chapter 211 of this title;

"(2) in any district where any act in furtherance of the offense took place; or

"(3) in any district where any party to the contract or provider of goods or services is located."

(2) The table of sections for chapter 47 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

"1038. War profiteering and fraud relating to military action, relief, and reconstruction efforts in Iraq."

(b) CIVIL FORFEITURE.—Section 981(a)(1)(C) of title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting "1038," after "1032,".

(c) CRIMINAL FORFEITURE.—Section 982(a)(2)(B) of title 18, United States Code, is amended by striking "or 1030" and inserting "1030, or 1038".

(d) MONEY LAUNDERING.—Section 1956(c)(7)(D) of title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting the following: ", section 1038 (relating to war profiteering and fraud relating to military action, relief, and reconstruction efforts in Iraq)," after "liquidating agent of financial institution);".

H.R. 4818

OFFERED BY: MR. EMANUEL

AMENDMENT NO. 5: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

PAYMENTS TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR INFRASTRUCTURE AND SOCIAL SERVICES NEEDS

SEC. \_\_\_\_ (a) PAYMENTS TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.—(1) The Secretary of the Treasury shall, in accordance with the provisions of this section, make payments to States and local governments to coordinate budget-related actions by such governments with Federal Government efforts to stimulate economic recovery.

(2) There is authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of the Treasury for fiscal year 2005 for payments under this section an amount equal to at least the total amount appropriated for fiscal year 2003 under the heading "Iraq Relief and Reconstruction Fund" in the Emergency Wartime Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2003, and any amounts appropriated for such Fund in any